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1. Japanese Patent Application Publication No. 2002-269317, published September 20, 2002, with English Language Abstract.
2. "Product Strategy, Neo-Japonism: From Communication to Content," *Nikkei Electronics*, Nikkei BP, 31, January 2000, Number 762, Pages 136-143.
3. "Movie Sales Receipt Forecasting System, Gaga, Updating the System: Compatibility with Parameter Changes," *Nihon Keizai Shimbun* Morning Edition, 23 October 2001, Page 17.
4. Japanese Patent Application Publication No. 7-28902, published January 31, 1995, with English Language Abstract.

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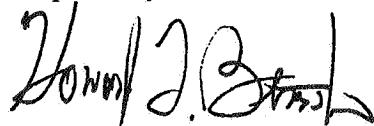
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